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Appeal No. 2000-1901
Application 08/506,032

ORDER REMANDING TO EXAMINER

This application is being remanded to the examiner for her attention to the previous remand concerning the missing parts of the above application (Paper No. 63 dated September 13, 2000). Mr. Dale M. Shaw, a Program and Resource Administrator, talked with the examiner in a previous telephone conversation concerning a remand for the missing parts of the application. The examiner, Regina Liang, explained she had found the missing parts and wanted Mr. Shaw to remand the application to the Tech Center. This application was returned to the examiner via the previous remand (Paper No. 63). To no avail, when the application was returned to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences (BPAI), the missing parts still seem to be

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missing. Mrs. Moore, a paralegal specialists for the BPAI, talked with the examiner and explained she had done a very through investigation of the entire Board and was unable to find any boxes of papers the examiner had forwarded to the Board. This application is being remanded again for the examiner to provide these missing parts as listed below.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application be remanded to the Examiner for supplying:

1) three copies of the Appeal Brief dated September 16, 1999 (Paper No. 50);
three copies of Supplemental Appeal Brief dated October 18, 1999 (Paper No. 54); and
three copies of Reply Brief dated March 6, 2000 (Paper No. 64) and;

2) for such further action as may be deemed appropriate.

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It is important that the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences be informed of any action affecting the appeal.

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